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Applicant: Matthew Heidner

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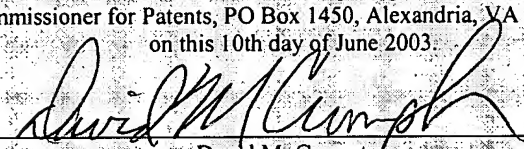
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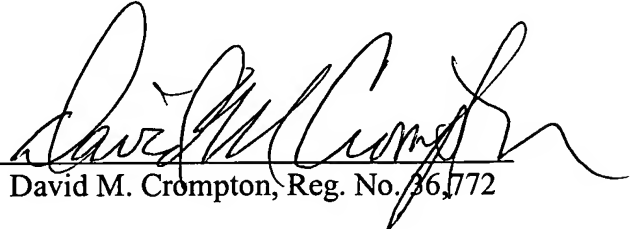
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[] Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.9 and 1.27 has been established.

[XX] Other: INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT, FORM PTO-1449 AND THREE (3) CITED REFERENCES.

[XXXX] Please charge any deficiencies or credit any overpayment in the enclosed fees to Deposit Account No. 50-0413.

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Dear Sir:

Pursuant to the obligations of candor and good faith imposed by 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, the documents listed on the attached PTO-1449 are hereby disclosed.

No representation is intended to be made hereby that any of the cited references establishes, by itself or in combination with other information, a prima facie case of unpatentability of any claim of the present case.

Respectfully submitted,

Matthew Heidner

By his Attorney,

Date: 6/10/03

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